

MONDAY, JULY 7, 3 A. M.

METEOROLOGICAL FORECAST—JULY 6.		METEOROLOGICAL FORECAST—JULY 7.	
Barometer	75.00	Barometer	75.00
Thermometer	65.00	Thermometer	65.00
Wind	W. 10	Wind	W. 10
Clouds	100	Clouds	100
Humidity	100	Humidity	100
Direction	W.	Direction	W.
Force	10	Force	10
State	Clear	State	Clear
Time	3 A. M.	Time	3 A. M.

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TO PRINTERS.—We have a number of Chase and several excellent imitations. Stones to dispose of on fair terms. Possession cannot be given for a month or six weeks. d6w7

SMALL CHANGE.—Our business men will not forget the meeting called at the Court House to-night to decide means to meet the inconvenience occasioned by the lack of small silver change. Its necessity makes the lack of small silver change a very serious matter. The difficulty is not in the restaurants, where small change is such a necessity, the difficulty is severely felt, and many of the proprietors have sought to remedy it by issuing shillings. Generally these are little better than the small change of the establishment on one side and the words "good for twenty-five cents," or other mentioned sums, on the reverse. In a few instances, however, shillings have been issued in the form of the general appearance of a bank note. The New York law, as it is, is not sufficient to protect our own, and while the ticket may be recognized by those who issue them subject themselves to legal action as counterfeiters, by violating a law which prohibits private individuals from issuing anything "in the similitude" of legal paper money.

The shillings of New York are generally offered with a small amount of change. Regular customers to the various restaurants and smaller stores will receive them as a matter of courtesy; but it must be acknowledged it is rather hard for a seller, after paying six or seven per cent. for silver, to be obliged to give to any one who, after purchasing a dinner, coffee, or a dollar, is in payment. At the same time casual customers remember that the restaurant keepers and other who offer shillings have no legal right to do so—that the acceptance of them is a mere act of forbearance, and that they can be refused at will. Shillings are, of course, not legal tender, and though their widespread introduction seems inevitable. Perhaps it would be better for the seller to charge the purchaser the premium on silver in proportion to the amount of purchase. Thus, if silver costs six cents premium, charge the purchaser six cents for every dollar of fifty cents, and so in proportion. This is, in fact, direct and an honest tax, but will prove, after all, quite as acceptable in general trade as the dishonest shilling system, which should only be applied to regular customers, and after a fair understanding. Accepting them, as shillings are, at the best, no seller, after paying fifty cents, and so in proportion. This is, in fact, direct and an honest tax, but will prove, after all, quite as acceptable in general trade as the dishonest shilling system, which should only be applied to regular customers, and after a fair understanding.

AT THE SAME TIME the issuers of these shillings, apart from the argument of necessity, can justify say that, if they are to be of any use, they must be used by the holder, and not by the issuer. If they are to be of any use, they must be used by the holder, and not by the issuer. If they are to be of any use, they must be used by the holder, and not by the issuer.

COTTON HAULING AND COTTON BURNING.—The Confederate cavalry crossing the country north of Memphis on Monday, July 6, the Memphis and Ohio railroad, have within the past few days destroyed several lots of cotton collected on plantations and designed for sale in this city. On Tuesday, as we learn from the Agents, three negroes, with drags loaded with cotton, while being driven to the depot by a white driver, were stopped by a party of white men, who, without any reason, ordered the negroes to get out of the drags, and the cotton was confiscated. The drags burned and the negroes and males owned in Memphis—some of the negroes were killed, and some of the white men were killed. The negroes and males owned in Memphis—some of the negroes were killed, and some of the white men were killed.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.—In announcing Saturday that Ben M. Harney, Esq., was a candidate for Surveyor of Jefferson county, we were mistaken. This election would be contested, and we are using this language inadvertently did injustice to Mr. G. T. Bergman, who is a candidate for the same office and has already surveyed the county and made an admirable map of it, being a practical surveyor of many years standing. As the rivalry of both parties is so keen, and as they maintain most excellent characters as citizens, it does not comport with the position assumed by the Journal to take sides with either. We shall be perfectly satisfied with the election of either and whoever is successful we hope he will show his surveying lines in pleasant places.

THE CARD OF PROF. BILLS, of the Louisville Female High School, is not intended, we presume, as a lecture to the people of this city, but as a character. We stated, in request, that the young ladies of the High School had yielded to a very generally expressed wish that their admirable exhibition at the close of the scholastic year should be repeated, and that notice as to the time of the repetition would be given. We are now understood to be in error. The young ladies had "voluntarily" to repeat the exhibition, as the many useful lessons which they have received, both in the home circle and previous to the time of the High School, would have rendered them incapable of obtaining themselves upon the same in any manner.

DEATH OF MRS. COL. ELLET.—Last Sunday morning Mrs. Ellet, wife of the late Col. Ellet, died at her residence in Philadelphia, in the 46th year of her age. She was the daughter of the late Judge Daniel, of Virginia, and sister of the present Judge Daniel, on the same bench. She has had four children, all of whom are now living. She was present at the death of her husband in Cairo, Ill., and went to Philadelphia with her remains. Her death has resulted from no disease, being mainly from pure exhaustion and grief.

YESTERDAY was the most oppressively hot day of the season. The mercury in the thermometer ranged at from ninety to ninety-three degrees in the shade during the afternoon, and the atmosphere was so oppressive that it was too warm to admit of immigration countryward, and the pent-up citizen could find no consolation save in a delicious bath at the Artesian Well or in a cooling draft of that incorporeal soda for which the Capitol drugstore is celebrated.

WE ASK special notice of an advertisement of a situation wanted by an accomplished lady. The lady is a native of the North, and has some ten years' experience in the management of some of the best academies in New York. Trustees or those desiring a select school cannot do better than to secure her services.

NOTES OF THE DAY.
THE BATTLE OF GAINES' HILL.
[Correspondence of the New York Times.]
FULL DETAILS OF THE DEFEAT OF THE CONFEDERATE ARMY AT GAINES' HILL, JULY 3, 1862.
Had the enemy possessed full information of the purpose of our Commanding General they could not have taken the advantage which they did. The fact that our front gave way at Mechanicsville on Thursday, after making a gallant stand, and falling back to the river, seems to have suggested to them that a general retrograde movement was contemplated. The fact that the special attention of city residents to a choice line of ladies' extra, kid, cambray, Morocco, and calf boots and balmors—all fresh stock received since last sale.

TO THE LADIES OF LOUISVILLE.—Wright, Ketchum, & Co. will sell on Monday, July 7, at 10 o'clock A. M., through T. Anderson & Co., a splendid assortment of Ladies' Dresses, Shawls, Trimmings, Fans, Balmors Skirts, and all varieties of goods suitable for families. Ladies only, or attended by their husbands, are invited to attend.

THE BROADWAY STRAW is still the cheapest and prettiest hat in the market. It is not easily soiled and costs but little money. Found only at GREEN & GREEN'S.

NEW DRUG STORE.—Messrs. Pfingst & Bro. open a new drug establishment at the corner of Seventh street and Broadway on the 1st inst. These gentlemen are well known in this city as skillful druggists and apothecaries, having been long established on Market street, between Tenth and Eleventh. Their stock of drugs, perfumery, fancy articles, &c., is full and fresh.

FATHER'S DRESS, WATER, AND TABLE CUTLERY.—A new assortment just received at G. W. China Palace, corner Fourth and Green streets.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.—Dr. H. L. LAWSON. To remove the cause and prevent the effects of the true theory on which the treatment of the blood is based. The pills are the best tonic medicine in use, and for their purifying and sensitive properties they stand alone. For rheumatism, indigestion, and depression of spirits, they are the only remedy. Sold by all druggists at 25c, 50c, and \$1 per box.

Business Notices.
Hon. R. C. Williams, Union candidate for Judge of Appellate Court, will address the people at Golden Pond, Friday, July 12, at 8 o'clock P. M.

THE GROWER & BAKER Sewing Machine Company now offer a complete assortment of their new and improved Sewing Machines, at 50c per machine. Also, new Lock Stitch Machines at 50c per machine. Also, new Lock Stitch Machines at 50c per machine.

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COMMERCIAL.
WEEKLY REVIEW OF THE MARKET.
[From the New York Times.]
The market for cotton has been very quiet since last week. The price of cotton has been very quiet since last week. The price of cotton has been very quiet since last week.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.
XXXVIII CONGRESS—FIRST SESSION.
WASHINGTON, July 6.
Mr. Grimes called for a resolution calling on the Secretary of War for official reports from Col. Canby in regard to operations in New Mexico. Adopted.

Further Particulars of the Late Fight!
Later from Europe—Reinforcements for Mexico.
The bill introduced by Mr. Canby for the purpose of providing for the payment of the bounty on the capture of rebels in the Mississippi valley. Passed. He also introduced a bill for the collection of the revenues of the northern, northeastern, and northwestern frontier. The bill provides that vessels in the coasting trade shall be exempt from the payment of duties, and authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to appoint agents at the reopening of the frontier ports.

Some Particulars of the Bombardment of Vicksburg.
Gen. Grant on Guerrillas and Cotton-Burners.
Gunboats and Troops at Mobile.
Gen. Bragg in Command at Tupelo.
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